UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

United States of America

v. Criminal No. 04-181-PB

Kenneth Knight

ORDER

The defendant has moved to continue the January 4, 2006 trial in the above case, citing the need for additional time to finalize plea negotiations. The government does not object to a continuance of the trial date.

Accordingly, in order to allow the parties additional time to negotiate a plea agreement or properly prepare for trial, the court will continue the trial from January 4, 2006 to February 7, 2006. In agreeing to continue the trial, the court finds pursuant to 18 U.S.C.A. § 3161(h)(8)(A) that for the above-stated reasons, the ends of justice served in granting a continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial.

No further continuances.

SO ORDERED.

/s/Paul Barbadoro
Paul Barbadoro
United States District Judge

December 29, 2005

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 United States Probation
 United States Marshal